

# Cottonwood-Gordon Ag Society

Community Newsletter – November 2019

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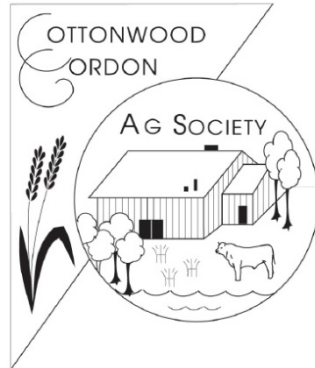
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## Upcoming Ag Society Events

November 8/9- Christmas Market

November 22- Movie Night

November 26- AGM

December 21- Family Community Christmas

December 31- New Years Eve

## Community Update

Fall Clean up- thanks to the volunteers who showed up to help with the yard and indoor cleanup. Our facility looks much better due to your hard work and community.

Halloween Party- We had an awesome turnout of a 113 adults and kids. The night was kept busy with visiting, dancing, making ghosts, spiders, finger puppets, colouring and play dough fun! Thanks to everyone that came out and everyone that help to clean up!

*Plan your Christmas Shopping at  
Christmas Country Tour*

## Cottonwood - Gordon Ag. Society - Christmas Craft Sale

(south of Innisfail, take overpass 13 miles west on Cottonwood Road, just past RR 30)

Friday, November 8, 2019: 6:30 - 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, November 9, 2019: 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

Check out the various tables which include: whimsical, jams, jellies, pickles, quilting, jewelry, baking, photography, Christmas potpourri, handmade cards, art, Canadiana items, chocolates, sewn clothing, books, and much more.

Come enjoy a noon lunch of Hamburger Soup and buns.

Lunch donations go to the Christmas Bureau.

Door Prize Draws

For more information call Sharon 403-227-2489 or

Wilma 403 227 2199 or Lucille 403-350-1490

## Hillcrest Community Hall Craft Fair & Bake Sale

Saturday, November 9, 2019: 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

There will be a wide selection of tables: baking, quilting, jams, sewing, Christmas gifts, toys, and much more.

Lunch available

Door Prize Draws

Call Linda 403-556-6647 or Bea 403-224-3880 for more details

(West of Bowden on Hwy 587, 2 miles south on RR 22, watch for signs)

Please join us for the **Annual General Meeting- November 26<sup>th</sup> @7pm.** Light refreshments served- as well as elections. Please consider running for a board position. (Possibly two vacancies to fill). Find out what YOUR community has been doing and check out our progress on our addition- washrooms and enlarged foyer. We have a wonderful community. Opportunities abound!

**Enriching Women through Crafting 2019**

Dates: November 1, December 6.

Join us at the Cottonwood-Gordon Hall starting at 10:00 am until 7 pm. If you would like to attend in the evening I am open to making it happen. Bring your own lunch. Coffee, tea and hot chocolate is always on. Thanks to the Red Deer County Division 4 Recreation and Culture board, there is no charge.

For more information please contact  
lucillelohnann@outlook.com or call 403-350-1490

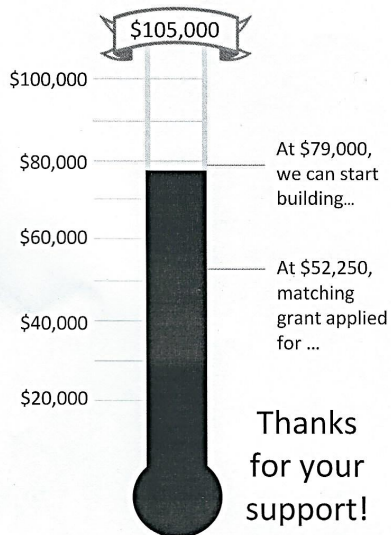
**"Women of Cottonwood"**

(formerly Cottonwood W.I.)

November 7, 2019 RTT: bring a picture of your mother, grandmother or great grandmother. Dues: will be \$20, wear a poppy. Bring: an item for Salvation Army for the homeless

For information please contact Sharon Blain at 403 227-2489 or Barb Traxel at 403 505-0581

Please Save the date for our annual **Christmas Nativity and Program.** December 21, 2019 @6:30pm for our outdoor Nativity. Program to follow. Contact Shari 403-357-9418 (text) to be more closely involved. We need YOU!



**HANDICAPPED WASHROOMS/ FOYER PROJECT**

**The Project:** To install 2 accessible washrooms and enlarge the foyer, totaling just over \$100,000.

**Thank you for your commitment:** Thank you for your ongoing donations to the building fund. We are continuing to receive donations, both from individuals and businesses, as well as memorial donations. All donations are very welcome.

**The project is progressing well. We greatly appreciate the help of all who have come out to volunteer their time and labour. If you've been by the Hall lately, you will have seen what's happening.**

**We still need YOUR help: We still need volunteer time and labour, as well as any funds you are able to donate.** We are still waiting to hear from other grant applications and continuing to make applications.

**Donation Recognition:** We have a great recognition programme for donations. See our website or contact Linda Toews for full details.

**Remember, your donations are tax-deductible.**

*What a great way to reduce your taxes and help out your community at the same time! All donations gratefully accepted.*

For information or to donate, contact Linda Toews at 403-224-2881 or [cottonwoodgordonagsociety@gmail.com](mailto:cottonwoodgordonagsociety@gmail.com). Donations can also be sent to the Society's mailing address.

**Fitness Classes**

Sustainable Movement Yoga  
Wednesday Mornings (9-10am)

This gentle, yoga class focuses on sustainable functional movements designed to increase strength, range of motion and improve your activities of daily living. All fitness levels are welcome. Please bring your own mat.

**New 5-week session starting Nov.13-Dec.11 (cost \$60)**

To Register, or for more information call or text Beth Kuntz (403)550-4060. Beth is a AFLCA Certified Instructor specializing in Mind/Body & Older Adult Fitness

Red Deer County Div. 4 residents for 50% reimbursement



November 22, 2019 @ 6:30pm Come and enjoy a movie, popcorn and drink for an evening, entrance is \$5 per person.

For more info Caroline @403-358-4919